



MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION MEETING 4/24/2025

Date and Time: 4/24/2025 05:30 pm

Time:

Present: Bill Nigus, Assistant Fire Chief Todd Gray, Assistant Police Chief Dall Hedges, Mayor Steve Myers, Councilmember Bill Hinchie, Councilmember Mary Rehkla, Interim City Engineer Darrell Dunlap, and Deputy City Clerk Marissa Peneston

Absent: Valerie Sebacher, Jay Hickman, Director of Administration Courtney L. Doyle, Chief of Police Bill Ladwig, Fire Chief Russell Sing, and City Clerk Kathie Ratliff

Location: Fulton City Hall

DISCUSSION

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Public Safety Commission meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

There were three members present, and two members (Sebacher and Hickman) absent. Quorum met.

3. COMMENTS FROM VISITORS

There were no comments.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Decision Motion was made by Hedges and Seconded by Nigus to approve the February 27, 2025 minutes. Motion carried with all members voting in favor, (Sebacher and Hickman) absent.

5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Handicap Accessible Parking Space Request and Discussion (Traffic)

It is the owner's responsibility to make a handicap accessible space in their parking lot. This would allow the owner to put the space in the best place for them.

Bluff Street – No Parking Discussion

The commission feels that there is currently adequate room for emergency vehicles to travel along the road, so no change will be made.

Snow Removal

Snow removal policy was postponed until a future meeting.

Other



The proposed no-parking on one side of Saint Francis Street, Palmer Street, Oliver Street, and Tyler Street was briefly discussed.

6. NEW BUSINESS

Brookside Drive

This is a very narrow road that has seen more traffic lately and has become hard to maneuver through.

Decision: Hedges made a motion, Nigus seconded to recommend to the city council no parking on either side of Brookside Drive from the low water crossing to 13th Street (the brick plant). All in favor, (Sebacher and Hickman) absent. The motion passes.

Corner of Westminster and W 5th Street

A citizen submitted a complaint about cars parking right up to the curb, Hedges informed the commission that no parking areas have to be marked in some way, either by sign or yellow paint. The street department will take a look at this area and see if it needs to be repainted.

Other

Parking near the curb at 7th Street and Walnut was discussed; this is another area the street department will look into, possibly repainting. Curb deterioration was also mentioned.

7. NEXT MEETING

The Public Safety Commission is scheduled to meet again on Thursday, May 22, 2025, at 5:30 p.m.

8. ADJOURN

Decision Motion was made by Hedges and Seconded by Nigus to adjourn the meeting at 6:26 p.m. The Motion carried with all members voting in favor, two members (Sebacher and Hickman) absent.

Respectfully submitted,
Marissa Peneston
Deputy Clerk